

## Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 STATE 069064  
ORIGIN AF-08

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SCS-03 DHA-02 SCA-01 L-03 /018 R

DRAFTED BY AF/W:DBEASUM/MPH

APPROVED BY AF:ESCHAUFELE

DESIRED DISTRIBUTION

SCS

-----300717Z 025931 /10

R 290054Z MAR 77

FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY LAGOS

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE STATE 069064

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CASC, NI

SUBJECT: AMCIT DETENTIONS

REF: STATE 64366

AT CLOSE OF VANCE/GARBA CONVERSATION MARCH 21 REPORTED  
BY REFTEL, AMBASSADORS SCHAUFELE AND EASUM RAISED WITH  
GARBA THE PROBLEM OF CONSULAR ACCESS FOR AMERICAN CITIZENS  
DETAINED BY THE FMG. SCHAUFELE EXPRESSED USG'S SERIOUS  
CONCERN OVER APPARENT PATTERN OF SUCH DETENTIONS OVER PAST  
YEAR. GARBA SAID HE WAS NOT INFORMED ON THE MATTER BUT  
PROMISED TO "TAKE A LOOK AT IT" WHEN HE RETURNED TO LAGOS.  
REFERENCE TO HIS PROMISE WOULD BE APPROPRIATE DURING  
COURSE OF CONVERSATION CHARGE OR AMBASSADOR MIGHT HAVE  
WITH HIM ON OTHER MATTERS DURING COMING WEEKS.

CHRISTOPHER

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** CITIZEN PROTECTION, DETENTION  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Sent Date:** 29-Mar-1977 12:00:00 am  
**Decapton Date:** 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am  
**Decapton Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1977STATE069064  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** DBEASUM/MPH  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D770108-0809  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** STATE  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1977/newtext/t19770311/aaaaaiuf.tel  
**Line Count:** 46  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** 658b01b0-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ORIGIN AF  
**Original Classification:** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 1  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 77 STATE 64366  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 03-Feb-2005 12:00:00 am  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 2958559  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** AMCIT DETENTIONS  
**TAGS:** CASC, NI  
**To:** LAGOS  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkgvgwkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/658b01b0-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
22 May 2009  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009